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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 1, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted for entry and consideration. The Action set a 3 month shortened statutory period for reply, making this paper due December 1, 2004. This reply is timely filed and no petition for an extension of time to respond is required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1935.

The Examiner is kindly requested to enter and consider this response even though submitted After Final. The claims are placed in condition for allowance.